

~~(1) IS REQUIRED ONLY IF THE DEPARTMENT COLLECTS A FINE AS
A RESULT OF THE VIOLATION; AND~~

~~(2) MAY NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT OF THE FINE.~~

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be construed to apply retroactively only to costs incurred by Anne Arundel County between October 2006 and April 2007 for the testing and monitoring of well water for 83 homes and businesses in the vicinity of the Gambrills fly ash disposal site owned by BBSS Inc.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 2008.

May 22, 2008

The Honorable Michael E. Busch
Speaker of the House
State House
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed House Bill 545 – *Dorchester County – Alcoholic Beverages Act of 2008*.

Among other things, this bill repeals the off-sale privilege of a Class B beer and light wine license in Dorchester County on or after July 1, 2008; and authorizes a holder of a Class B (on-sale and off-sale) beer and light wine license that is issued on or before June 30, 2008, to continue to exercise the privileges of the license and to renew the license.

Senate Bill 154, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign House Bill 545.

Sincerely,